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Ford County Delegates to Great
Bend Convention

ELECTED LAST SATURDAY.

Convention Was a Unit In Fa-
voring Candidacy of Judge
Price.

A Republican county convention was held at the court house on last Saturday afternoon for the purpose of selecting delegates to represent Ford county in the Congressional convention to be held at Great Bend next Thursday.

Apparently there is no division of sentiment in Ford county regarding the choice of candidates. A resolution was passed by the convention endorsing Judge Francis C. Price, and the delegates selected were practically Judge Price's own choice.

The convention was presided over by Mr. J. M. Leidigh, and Mr. Pettijohn was chosen for secretary. A resolution endorsing Judge Price was introduced by Mr. L. A. Madison, of Ford, and was unanimously adopted.

Upon the representation that Judge Price had requested Judge Madison, M. W. Sutton, and W. J. Fitzgerald sent from Dodge City as three members of the Ford county delegation their election as delegates was promptly settled by acclamation. The names of Mr. George Curtis of Wheatland, Mr. C. W. Mills of Bucklin, and Mr. J. M. Leidigh of Spearville offered in completing the delegation. On a ballot Mr. Mills and Mr. Leidigh were elected, Mr. Curtis having only two votes less than Mr. Leidigh.

Alternates were elected as follows: George Curtis, W. H. Lord, L. J. Pettijohn, L. G. Grobety and C. M. Boeson. The convention at Great Bend will be

one of the largest ever held in the district and the delegates will be the busiest people in the state on next Thursday and possibly on the following day. The Ford county delegation will put forth its best efforts for Judge Price, and they enter the fight with the belief that their candidate will be the ablest man before the convention and that he has as good prospects as any man in the field.

IN SHORT GRASS LAND.

The Kearney County Advocate says that the reports of cattle losses have been greatly exaggerated.

The Meade Salvation Army organization had a smashing and pounded the devil out of the billiard tables there and were applauded by the billiard hall proprietor, who is now one of their converts.

All of the young lady students of the Cimarron schools had their names on the printed "Honor Roll" last week. The teacher put her name on the list, but before it was printed a grievance committee composed of good looking girls waited on Ellis Garton and the teacher's authority ended right there. The Jacksonian printed the names of the entire class, and put them over the teacher's signature.

Hundreds of acres of alfalfa will be started in Finney county this year the land owners believing that the season will be especially favorable for getting a good stand.

The scarcity of coal and the raids on the railroad company's supply during the past winter has revived the story of the Lakin man who tried to tap the Santa Fe coal chute several years ago. He drove his wagon under the chute and pulled the trap. The results was surprising. Tons of coal dropped through and the wagon, mashed to kindling wood, was completely buried. It was a most embarrassing position as the man didn't make a business of stealing coal and did not care to get caught at it.

Item which appeared in many of the short grass papers last week. "New grass has made its appearance and is growing rapidly."

A young band composed of sixteen bright and musical Dodge City boys of ages from 16 to 18 has been organized and will be drilled by Mr. C. S. McCray who is the new foreman at the GLOBE-REPUBLICAN office. Mr. McCray has been very successful in bringing out young bands and the boys here will no doubt "surprise the natives" before the birds fly south again. They will also give the older musicians a race for band honors.

FIRST WIFE NOT DEAD.

Peculiar Case Which Has Been
Brought in Ford County.

A Ford county man is having a peculiar experience. Many years ago when a young man he was married in Illinois. The couple separated soon and he removed to another state. After a year or two he received information that his wife had secured a divorce, and later that she was dead. After this he married again, raised a large family of children and now has grand children. Now he is confronted by a suit for alimony for his first wife. She is not dead and denies that she ever secured a divorce. After an absence of half a life time she appears and demands alimony, and asks for a good sized sum. The case, unless it should be dropped will be heard at the next term of the district court of Ford county.

LAST DAY TO REGISTER TOMORROW.

Tomorrow will be the last day to register to vote at the city election. Don't neglect it. You will want to vote on city officers, and a little later will want to vote on congressman. Register tonight or tomorrow.

HOW DO THEY STAND?

Council Should Be Elected That
Would Attend to This Matter.

In formulating a platform for the city ticket it appears that an important matter has been overlooked. This was probably not an intentional neglect, and it is believed that every candidate nominated at the citizens' convention will favor the move. The matter referred to is the bringing into the city limits the tracts of improved town lots east of Railroad avenue and south of Military avenue. There is a strong sentiment which seems to be almost universal for making this step. The candidates placed in nomination should have been called upon to go on record in the convention regarding this matter. As stated before, it was probably nothing but an oversight

that they were not, but there is still time before election for them to express themselves. It is manifestly unfair to continue these additions as they have been, almost in the center of town, and still free from any responsibility in supporting the city. The matter ought to be taken up by the council at the earliest opportunity, and the new members who will be elected at the coming election should be pledged to such action.

AT THE PARK.

Fair Ground Improvements are Pro-
gressing Rapidly.

The fair grounds will soon be in good shape for the fall meeting. The new hub rail around the track is completed and the new stables are nearly finished.

Mr. Nell Hughes, of Mound, Brown county, Illinois, who moved to Dodge City, and located the past week, not only added a good family to the city and county, but made a valuable contribution to the roadster horse interests of the county and western section of the state. He brought with him the richly pedigreed and tested trotter and speed sire, Valtan, trotting record 2:18, and sire of six in the list of standard performers. This horse is bred in highly fashionable lines and is a good individual, with ample size, good disposition and right every way. As a stock horse competent judges say he is entitled to take rank with the very best in Kansas, and is to be regarded first class in rank anywhere. No horse has ever been owned and kept in the west section of the state with as fast a record and as many performers to his credit, and not many at sixteen years of age have had the credits he has. He will undoubtedly be patronized from all over the west half of the state.

Before time for the meeting the grand stand will have an addition, the track will be put in first class condition and every body in Ford county will be proud of the park and fair grounds.

As soon as spring gets her presence well established the Ladies Civic Improvement League will probably induce the city to clean up the park east of the fair grounds.

DODGE CITY BAND.

Is Being Organized and It Will Be a
Good One.

If the enthusiasm holds out for a period of three or four weeks Dodge City will have a band that she will not be ashamed to place on exhibition. It will not be the ordinary bare and "um-ta" aggregation usually put out by the country town, but a real musical organization. A band that will make your blood circulate, and make you hear the carolling of birds in the trees, give you tone pictures of noble deeds, better impulses, and a desire to praise the god of nature. It may take a longer time to make this a reality, but the prospect is good, and barring a sudden-bust up, which is always possible by reason of the explosive temperament, erratic ideas, and generally horrible disposition owned by the average musician, the band will make its appearance in due time, "as advertised."

HENRY WAS LOST.

Came to Dodge City Twelve Years
Ago. Not Heard from Since.

If anybody in Dodge City has one Henry Lewis concealed about their premises they will confer a great favor upon that individual's mother by notifying her that the said Henry is alive. Last week a citizen here received a letter from Canon City, Colo., making inquiry about Lewis. A Mrs. Lewis now of Canon City says that about twelve years ago her son Henry left Leadville and located in Dodge City. Since then the mother has never heard a word from the son and for years she has feared that he is dead. Some of the old lady's friends have now taken the matter up and will try to get a trace of the lost Henry. Some of the

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old settlers here who have been questioned say they have no recollection of the lad coming here.

CONDUCTOR POND HURT.

Was in a Wreck at Lakin Yesterday
Morning.

Conductor George Pond, of Dodge City, who was bringing No. 2 east yesterday received serious injuries in a wreck at Lakin, which occurred at about 2:40 o'clock in the morning. Mr. Pond was standing on the steps of one of his cars to get signals at the station when the train went over a broken rail. The engine and one car got over without leaving the track. The car Mr. Pond was on left the track and the steps he stood on were smashed to pieces. One of his feet was caught and smashed considerably. He also received painful cuts about the head. Mr. Pond came on home with No. 4, and it is believed that his injured foot can be saved and that he will not be permanently crippled.

No one else was hurt on the train. Vice President Kendrick, was in his car on the rear end of No. 2. The private car did not leave the track.

STILL AT IT

Sacrifice Sale Goes On With Unabated Vigor. BARGAINS FOR EVERYBODY.

We were lucky enough to get about \$15,000 worth of Ladies, Misses and Children's High Grade Garments at a manufacturer's sale of one of the largest establishments in Cleveland, Ohio, for about 40 cents on the dollar. Nearly \$8,000 of this stock they bought for their spring trade, and consists of all the new novelties. We shall give our patrons for the next 30 days the benefit of the manufacturer's loss of 50 cents on the dollar. This will be one of the greatest saving sales ever made in the West, and the largest stock to select from. The largest shipment of it's kind ever brought into this state—One Solid Carload.

We Quote You Below A Few of the Many Bargains.

Ladies here is the Snap of the Season.

580 Ladies and Misses Dress and Walking Skirts in plain and fancy weaves, Etamine, Sicilians, Mohairs, Kerasys, Broadcloth, Snowflakes, Fancy and plain Cheviots. A large range of styles, from the plainest up to the extreme novelties, all go into this sale at about half of Cleveland prices.

Waists! Waists!

147 of fine Brondeloth and Silk Vestings, in all shades, Cleveland price \$3.50 to \$6.00 our price \$1.98
87 of the newest and most stylish waists out, Mercerized Linen Crahes in white and linen colors, Cleveland price \$3.98 our price \$1.98
75 White Lawn Waists, cheap at \$1.25, our price 49c

Tailor-Made Suits.

You will find in our Suit Department a large variety of new weaves from our best domestic and foreign looms in Etamine, Fancy and Plain Cheviots, Broadcloths, French Mixtures in all shades, and in the leading and correct styles of the season. Such as: Suits and Dip Blouses, Ping Pong, Monte Carlos, Sheared and Loose Boxes, besides a large line of Staple styles.

Suits

121 Ladies Tailor-Made Suits, Cleveland price \$25 to \$33, our price \$14 to \$18
106 Ladies' Tailor-Made Suits, Cleveland price \$18 to \$22.50, our price \$9 to \$12.50
131 Ladies Tailor-Made Suits, Cleveland price \$8 to \$11.50, our price \$7.50
One lot Tailor-Made Suits, slightly soiled, Cleveland price \$9 to \$15, our price \$3.48 to \$4.88.

Silk Skirts.

114 Silk Skirts in Peau de Soie, Taffeta and Fancy Moire, Cleveland price \$16 to \$27.50, our price \$12 to \$15.00
47 Taffeta, Peau de Soie and Fancy Moire, Cleveland price \$15 to \$23.50, our price \$9.50 to \$12.50.

Great Bargain.

About 50 Silk Skirts, Cleveland price \$9 to \$12, our price \$5.98. 1 lot of Silk Skirts cheap at \$7.50 to close \$3.98.

Special Bargain.

187 Ladies' Dressing Sacks, Cleveland price \$2.25 to \$3.50, our price \$1.25. 81 Ladies' Dressing Sacks, Cleveland price \$1.69 to \$1.99, our price 75 cts to \$1.00.

Wraps.

A large line of spring wraps too numerous to mention such as Box Jackets, Silk and Mohair Raglans, Silk Monte Carlos, Ping Pong and Coffee Jackets.

One of Our Best Offers.

186 Ladies' Black Silk Finish Underskirts, Cleveland prices \$2 to \$2.48, our price \$1.00.
84 Ladies' Black Silk Finish Underskirts, Cleveland price \$2.75 to \$3.25, our price \$1.49.
55 Ladies' Black Silk Finish Underskirts, Cleveland price \$2.50 to \$2.75, our price \$1.25.
450 Ladies' Percale Wrappers, worth \$1.25, our price 80 cents.

Wash Suits.

Ladies', Misses' and Children's Wash Suits without end in Duck, Crashes, Pique, Linens, Chambrays, Plain and Fancy Lawns.

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